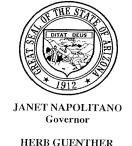
ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES Hydrology Division

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July 30, 2003



Director

Mr. Roy Tanney Department of Real Estate 2910 North 44th Street Phoenix, Arizona 85018

RE: Bar D Ranches, Coconino County Water Adequacy Report #22-400979

Dear Mr. Tanney:

Pursuant to A.R.S. §45-108, the Department of Water Resources has reviewed the information on the water supply for Bar D Ranches, located in portions of section 23, T22N, R8E, G&S R B&M.

The water supply plans call for the domestic water supply to be provided to each of the 15 lots in the subdivision by the Doney Park Water Company.

The Developer has chosen not to demonstrate the availability of an adequate water supply for this subdivision. Therefore, the Department of Water Resources must find the subdivision's water supply to be <u>inadequate</u>.

A.R.S. §32-2181.F. requires a summary of the Department's report for dry lot subdivisions or those with an inadequate water supply be included in all promotional material and contracts for sales of lots in the subdivision. We suggest the following synopsis:

"Bar D Ranches is being sold as a residential subdivision with the domestic water supply to be provided by the Doney Park Water Company. The water company receives water from wells that penetrate the Coconino Formation that is considered to be the principle aquifer. The water is of adequate quality for domestic use. The developer has chosen not to demonstrate the availability of an adequate water supply for the subdivision since the depth to water exceeds the department's criteria of 1,200 feet below land surface. Therefore, the Department of Water Resources' must find the subdivision's water supply to be <u>inadequate</u>."

The developer, pursuant to A.R.S. §32-2181F, may suggest a different summary of this report, but it must contain the above elements and/or the Department's findings. Any change to the above subdivision or water supply plans may invalidate this decision.

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This letter constitutes the Department of Water Resources' report on the subdivision water supply and is being forwarded to your office as required by A.R.S. §45-108. This law requires the developer to hold the recordation of the above subdivision's plats until receipt of the Department's report on the subdivision's water supply. By copy of the report, the Coconino County Recorder is being officially notified of the developer's compliance with the law.

This is an appealable agency action. The applicant is entitled to appeal this action. Right of appeal is described in the enclosed, *Notice of Right of Appeal*.

If you have any questions regarding this report, please call Brett Shaner at 602-417-2448.

Sincerely,

Frank Putman

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Ms. Candace Owens, Coconino County Recorder

Mr. William Towler, Coconino County Planning & Zoning

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